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DOLLAR A YEAR.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS USEFUL AND HANDSOME

THE POSTOFFICE DRUG STORE

J. J. GERIG, Mgr.

MOTTO: THIS PAPER WILL NOT
FAWN AT THE FEET OF THE MAN WHO
HAS SUDDENLY AND WITHOUT MERIT
REACHED THE TOP OF THE HILL; NOR
WILL IT KICK THE MAN WHO IS GOING
DOWN IT.

SARA ELIZABETH HARRIS, Local Editor.

Fire works all kinds at Troxler's

Fine suits of clothes, nobby and
cheap at Frost's store.

Mr. Jake Klein has returned from
a short visit to the Charleston expo-
sition.

Oranges by the box for Xmas presents
at Whaley's, also Nunnally's package
candy.

Sandford Jewett will arrive tomor-
row from Auburn, Ala., for the
holidays.

Mr. Himes, of Sumterville, was in
Ocala the first of the week on legal
business.

Divine service at Panasoffkee, Sun-
day next, the 22, at 6:30 p. m. by Rev.
C. M. Gray.

First Class pedigreed Belgian hares
for a Christmas present, for sale by
F. W. Biggs. 12-14

Red bass, snappers, sea trout and
fresh water trout received daily by
Otto Mente at the city market. 12-13

Miss May Allred and Mr. John
Allred, of Jacksonville, will spend
the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. N. M.
Allred.

Robert's Chill Tonic cures fevers,
chills and malaria. It destroys the
germ. We guarantee it. Price 25cts.
Wm. Anderson.

Otis T. Green, of Ocala, one of the
most prominent attorneys of south
Florida, was in the city Friday.—Tal-
lahassee Capital.

The room over Mr. Troxler's store,
known as the ZeButt hall is being
filled up as a club room for the phos-
phate and turpentine.

After the regular services at the
Presbyterian church last Sunday Mrs.
Davis and Mr. N. M. Allred were re-
ceived into the church.

Mr. Thomas Bond, who attends the
University of Virginia, will spend
Christmas with his father and moth-
er, Major and Mrs. Bond.

Miss Mary Collins, of Washington,
D. C., will arrive in the city Sunday
to spend the holidays with her college
schoolmate, Miss Esther Weathers.

Miss M. B. Wartmann went to
Leesburg Tuesday afternoon to attend
the wedding of her friend, Miss
Elizabeth Hansbrough to Mr. William
Hocker.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Carlton, of At-
lanta, spent a few days in Ocala the
first of the week, guests of Mrs. M. C.
Juhan. Mrs. Carlton is a niece of
Mrs. Juhan.

Mr. John D. Buckalew, of James-
burg, N. J., arrived in the city last
Saturday and will spend the winter.
Mr. Buckalew's friends here are glad
to have him back again.

Misses Lola and Johnnie Liddon
and their guest, Miss Barksdale, of
Augusta, Ga., leave Sunday night for
Marianna to visit Judge B. H. Liddon
and family for a week or ten days.

Laurence Scott returned home last
Sunday night from Sewanee, Tenn.,
where he has been attending the
University of the South. He will
spend the next three months at home.

A cold, cough or la grippe can be
"slipped in the bud, with a dose or
two of Foley's Honey and Tar." Be-
ware of substitutes. Anti-Monopoly
Drug Store.

H. L. ANDERSON.

If the person who makes two blades
of grass grow where only one grew be-
fore is a benefactor to the world, what
must be said of the man who builds
a city?

Unlike the prophet spoken of in
the scriptures he is supposed to be
rich with honors even in his own
country.

Because an enterprise meets with
disaster and does not turn to money
in the hands of the person back of it
it should not lessen his claims to the
title of being a public benefactor.

Those gritty and nervy men who
felled the forests in this state and
converted almost the greater portion
of it into an horticultural garden lit-
tle less lovely than the garden of
Eden, are none the less benefactors
because their twenty years of labor
were wrought into a scene of desola-
tion and ruin by the withering breath
of the "Ice King" in a single night.

Mr. H. L. Anderson was the founder
and builder of Marti City.

Under his magic touch it grew into
shapely splendor and put forth its
branches like the green bay tree so
beautifully described by the Psalmist.

It was invested with a mayor, a
marshal, a board of aldermen, a fire
department, and all the accessories of
a full-fledged municipality.

Large three-story cigar factories,
one after another, to the number of
six or more, were not only erected but
successfully operated.

The weekly pay roll largely aug-
mented the trade of Ocala and gave
increased value to real estate.

Stores, dwellings, hotels, etc., rap-
idly followed upon the heels of the fac-
tories and the little city soon enjoyed
paved streets and sidewalks, water-
works, an electric light plant and tel-
ephone service.

A street car line connected the two
cities.

At one time Marti City contained a
population of two thousand.

But there came a frost, a killing
frost, a frost that sealed its ambition
its seems forever, and almost as quick-
ly as it takes to tell it, Marti City took
its place beside Goldsmith's "deserted
village."

Its history tells the story that fac-
tory buildings, stores, hotels, nor pav-
ed streets, are not the main essentials
to the life and growth of a city—with-
out inhabitants even the palace of Al-
hambria is as valueless as the mud
hut of the hottentot.

The freeze that destroyed the orange
groves caused the failure of the banks

Among the tens of thousands who
have used Chamberlain's Cough Rem-
edy for colds and la grippe during the
past few years, to our knowledge, not
a single case has resulted in pneumo-
nia. Thos. Whitfield & Co., 240 Wabash
avenue, Chicago, one of the most prom-
inent retail druggists in that city, in
speaking of this, says: "We recom-
mend Chamberlain's Cough Remedy
for la grippe in many cases, as it not
only gives prompt and complete re-
covery, but also counteracts any ten-
dency of la grippe to result in pneu-
monia." For sale by Anti-Monopoly
Drug Store.

in Ocala and their failure proved fatal
to the aspirations of Marti City.

Had Mr. Anderson done for Jack-
sonville or Tampa what he did for
Ocala he would have been another
Ybor, and his wealth would be regis-
tered in United States bonds.

But when the population of Marti
City vanished and left the tenantless
houses on his hands, and his street
car line in Ocala and between the
two cities, became a nonpaying in-
vestment, his nerve did not forsake
him, and, unaided, he built and
equipped a railroad from Ocala to
Silver Spring, connecting at that point
with the Ocklawaha river boats.

Mr. Anderson believed that this
connection would give Ocala the ben-
efit of water transportation rates, and,
with this advantage over her sister
cities, Ocala would develop into a
place of importance and his franchises
would become valuable.

This enterprise, for various causes,
having failed, Mr. Anderson is still
undaunted and is now taking steps
towards building another railroad to
our city, which he says will have di-
rect connection with Atlanta—the
Gate City of the south—and will con-
tribute its full share in Ocala's up-
building.

With a full knowledge of the fact
that Ocala is noted for its progressive
and enterprising business men, under
its well known policy of "rendering
unto Caesar the things that are Cae-
sars," for nerve, and grit, and cour-
age, the Ocala Banner does not hesi-
tate to place the name of H. L. An-
derson, in printers' parlance, at "top
of column next to pure reading mat-
ter."

Robert's Chill Tonic cures. It re-
stores health and appetite. Try it.
25cts. Your money back if it fails.
Wm. Anderson.

Opening of the Ocala House.

Last Sunday at dinner the Ocala
House opened its dining room for the
winter season. Under the efficient
management of Mr. J. F. Edwards
the Ocala House had a splendid sea-
son last year and the prospects for
the present season are most favorable.
Mr. Edwards has made elaborate
preparations for the entertainment of
his guests. A number of improve-
ments have been made in the hotel,
with a view to the pleasure and com-
fort of the winter visitors.

Few points in Florida offer more
substantial attractions for visitors than
Ocala. Its close proximity to the
world-famed Silver Springs—only five
miles, reached by rail or on a beau-
tiful carriage drive—its high and
healthy location and the excellent
advantages afforded sportsmen, all
combine to make it an ideal point to
visit.

Sportsmen will be interested to
know that Mr. Edwards has a number
of the finest trained bird dogs and
large pack of wild-cat hounds, which
are entirely at the disposal of his
guests; competent guides can easily
be obtained and the shooting is better
this season than ever before. It is
unequaled in Florida.

Beautiful Silver Springs, famed in
song and story, will universally be a
chief attraction. The little steamer
Helen will make daily trips during
the season, going down the pictur-
esque "run" and the Ocklawaha river,
probably the most beautiful and weird
scenery in Florida.

Already a number of letters have
been received from prospective tourists
who have heard through their friends
of Ocala and the Ocala House. Ex-
tensive advertising arrangements
have been made, and the prospects
are most encouraging.

Mr. Edwards prepared for Sunday's
dinner a most elaborate menu, beau-
tifully and tastefully printed in colors.

Besides a great many transients, a
large number of Ocala citizens were
present at dinner to wish Mr. Ed-
wards a successful season. Between
fifty and seventy-five guests partook
of the excellent dinner prepared for
this occasion.

"Points" Relating to Bank Checks, Etc.

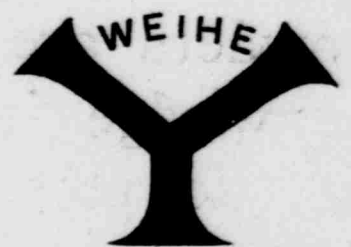
(Hawkins' New Catechism on Business)
[CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.]
Checks should never be written with
a lead pencil—always with pen and
ink.

If a check is lost, notify the bank
at once so they can stop payment.
Mention the number, to whose order
payable, date and amount.

MUNROE & CHAMBLISS, Bankers.
Ocala, Fla.

Hats for ladies, boys and men, all
new goods, at Frost's store.

Go To



The Jeweler
For Your Christmas Presents.

JUST RECEIVED:

Lot New and Pretty
RUGS

At Reasonable Prices.

New Oak Suits

At Very Low Prices.

BIG ASSORTMENT OF
CHAIR SEATS.

We will repair and reseat chairs
at short notice.

Lot of Other Bargains

— AT —

OCALA FURNITURE COMPANY

RHEINAUER & CO. Dry Goods House.

ORIENTAL RUGS, LACE CURTAINS AND MATTING FOR THE HOLIDAYS

Latest Style of
Stetson Hats
\$5.00
Howard Hats
\$3.00

Banister
Shoe for Men
\$5.00

W. B.
Erect Form
Corset
\$1.00

Blankets from
50c to \$7.50
Per Pair

"Foot Glove"
Shoe for Men
\$3.50

It is the policy of our Clothing Department
to offer

Greatly Reduced Prices During the Holidays

Therefore, we place on sale our Men's Black
Worsted Suits for \$6.00, worth \$8.00; Men's
French Worsted Suits for \$8.00, worth \$10.00;
Men's Black Vicuna Suits for \$15.00, worth
\$20.00.

We carry a full line of Boys' and Children's
Suits and Knee Pants, from 3 to 16 years,
which we offer at special prices for the holidays.

Special Sales

For the Holidays

DRESS GOODS, LACES, VELVETS, SILKS,
LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S JACKETS,
NECKWEAR, KID GLOVES, HOSIERY,
AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

'American Girl'
Ladies' Shoes
\$2.50

Shoes for the
Boys and Girls
Are Here
At Low Prices

Vici Kid Shoes
Marshal Patent
\$2.50

Ideal Kid Shoes
Extension
Soles
\$2.50 \$3.00
\$4.00

Table Cloths
Towels and
Napkins
For Holidays

RHEINAUER & CO.

Mail Orders Carefully and Promptly Attended to.

Agents for Standard Patterns.